PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of Fujio AKAHANE, et al. Docket No: Q77134

Appln. No.: 10/647,668 Group Art Unit: 3725

Confirmation No.: 2143 Examiner: Daniel C. CRANE

Filed: August 25, 2003

For: METHOD OF PUNCHING MINUTE HOLE, METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR

MANUFACTURING LIQUID EJECTION HEAD USING THE SAME

EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

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All Claims	33	-	26	=	7	X	\$50.00	=	\$350.00
Independent	2	-	3			X	\$200.00	=	\$.00
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Please charge the statutory fee of \$350.00, and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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